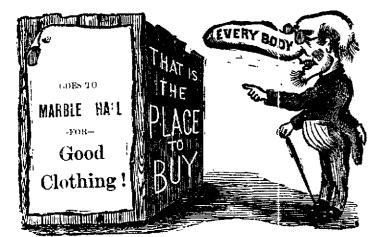
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(C. O. Platt.

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March Al-d Xwiw W. L. DU MONT. Administrator's inotice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 89 In the matter of the Estate of Liter Gru,

To the hears and legators of the said latey to be may be not to all to whom it may to never. You are hereby notified that I will appear before the County Court of said count on the loth day of April, 1883, at the hear of he clock A. M., and present a final report of my acts and doings in relation to said trate as the administrator thereof, and sake said court for a final discharge as such administrator, at which time and place you may be resent if you so desire.

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There Warn't no Fite Atween Em

that I Seed." The Continent. The following report of a trial in a North

Carolina court is condensed from a somewhat lengthy account published in local papers: In the mountain region of the state a man named John Poster was recently tried for assault and battery upon the person of Wilham Truit. The first witness was a one-ryel, rough-bearded man. He was lame He lost his missing eve in a fight. This was his first appearance in a court-house, although he looked to be some sixty years of age. There seems to have been an irreverent admixture of of the sacred and profane in the make-up of his name, which was Jeremiah Buster. As he stood aund the crowd a close observer might have soon have discovered that the whole scene was new to him. When the prose-enting attorney called him to the witness-stand he imped around the railing of the bar and took his seat on the stand. He gazed stound him with a bewildered air, yet there was that in his domeanor which showed that he had not parted altogether with the self-us-

he had not parted altogether with the self-assertion and independence characteristic of the dwellers in the mountains. He took in as much of the situation, perhaps, as a one-eyel man could be reasonably expected to do on his first appearance on the scene.

Prosecuting Attorney—"What is your name?"
Witness (ejecting a stream of tobacco inneo on the floor;—"Jeremiah Buster, 'squine They ginerally call me Jerry, for short "Prosecuting Attorney—"Well, Mr. Buster—"
Witness—"Now, 'squire don't call me Mr Buster, of you please. I'm d—d shdom called that, and—"

Buster, of you please. I'm d—d shidom called that, and—"

The Court—'Mr. Witness—"

Witness—"Now, jedge, jea' call me Jenny, ef you please. I sain't used to benn' called mister, and it sorter sounds strange like. Jea' call—"

The thetrict attorney here arose and said that he folt satisfied the witness did not mean to commit a contempt of court, but spoke thoughtlessly and from force of habit. He hoped the court would not send witness to Jail, at least at that time, as he was the only person by whom the state could prove the offense charged against the defendant in the indictionent, and the trial would, therefore he suspended. The court replied: "If the witness knew no better it was time he was learning, and he could not be broken too soon of a bud habit, if it had obtained such control over him as to cause him to violate all propriety.

District Attorney—"That is all true, your honor, but if the witness is sent to jail now I shall be compelled to enter a nolle proceeding the case and the trial must be suspended, as thus is my only witness."

Atter some further difficulty in bringing the witness to the point, the examination proceeded.

District Attorney—"Ferry, were you present

Witness—Well, 'squire, one night that was a turnble storm passed thro' our nake of the woods and blowed down a big poplar in the couner of the horse lot and killed my speckled cal—" District Attorney-"Never mind about the

wall."
Witness—"Well, 'squire, I'll tell you. If
that storm hadn't ter blowed down the true on
the caf, and of I hadn't er skinned the caf I
wouldn't ter tuck its hide to the tan-yard, and
of I hadn't er tuck the hide to the tan-yard 1
wouldn't er bin thar—now would I?"
District Attorney—"Well, I suppose not. Go
on."

on."

Witness—'And ef I hadn't er bin thar I couldn't er seed nothin' to tell—now could I? You see, squire, you didn't know what I was a coming at—now did yer?"
District Atlorney—'Well, go on."
Witness—"Well, arter I skinned the caf I kotch my old maie and carried the hide over to the tan-yard. When I got there I seed Jack Poster s-sittin' down by the rut of a tree and Bill Truitt were a-talkin' to him."
District attorney—'Well, what did Truitt say to defondant Foster?" District attorney—"Well, what did Truitt say to defondant Foster?"
Witness—"Well, 'squire, you see when I rid up on my old mare, I seed Bill a-talkin', but I couldn't hear a word he said, fur I war a hundred yards off when I fus' seed 'em."
District attorney—"Well, didn't you get near enough to hear anything that was said?"
Witness—"Oh, jes, 'squire."
District Attorney—"Well, after you got near enough to hear, what was said?"

chough to hear, what was said?"
Witness—"Well, Bill sed to Jack thar (pointing to the defendant) 'I want you to pay me that dollar you owe me." District attorney- Well, was that all that witness—"Oh, no, 'squite, that warn't all." Witness—"Oll, no, 'squire, that warn't all."
District attorney (impatently)—"Well, please
go on; tell all that was said."
Witness—"Well, 'squire, it' peared like Jack
dish't pay the money, and Bill sed that Jack
was not an honest man, and Jack ris up from
the rut uv the tree and breshed the dust offen
the sent uv his britches."
District Attorney—"What did Jack, as you
call him savy"

call him, say?"
Witness—"Never said a der—never said Witness—"N nuthin' at all District Attorney—"Well, tell us about the Witness-"Thar warn't no fite atween 'em that I seed " that I seed."
District Attoiney—"Do you mean to say that there was no fight between Truitt and Foster at the tan yard that day in your presence."
Witness—"I do for a fac, 'squire; nary fite.

District Attorney—"And have you told all you saw and heard on that occasion?"
Witness—"I think near about all, 'squire."
District Attorney (disgustedly)—"Stand aside,

r. -Counsel for Defense—"Wasta moment, Jerry. I would like to ask you a question or two. You say defendant Foster here didn't say a word when Truth told him he was not an honest Witness—"Never whimpered, 'squire, least-ways not that I hearn."
Counsel for Detense—'And never struck or offered to strike Trunt?"
Witness—'No, 'squire, I didn't say that ad-zacty. 1 sed thar warn't no fight atween 'em that I seed."
Connsel for Defense—"Well, Foster didn't

that I seed." Defense—"Well, Foster didn't strike him, did he "

Witness—"Well, you may bet your bottem doilar, 'squire, he did. Atter he breshed the dust offen the seat uv his britches, he hande back with his fist and knocked Bill Truitt as coldas a wedge, and nearly mauled the life outen him. I believe in my soul he would have killed him et it hadn't er been fur me publin' ny him offen him. Jack'e as true grit as ever cracked com, and his daddy was afore s ever cracked corn, and his daddy was afore him."
District Attorney (his face beaming with smiles)—"Well, what happened after you pulled the defendant of Truttra"
Witness—"Well, Jack told him of he didn't

Clarouten them diggins and of ever he sot eyes on him sgain he'd brake every bone in his dog skin, and Bill struck a dog 'trot, and I reckin he's runnin' till yit, fur I've never sot eyes on him sence." The Sum Total "E. A." in Cincinnati Commercial Gazette. Soon after the war, it is said, there was a reconstruction meeting down south. All were in favor of beginning over again. A Union sol-dier a Confederate soldier and an ex-slave were appointed a committee to draft resolutions. They retired to a group of trees, debated sev-eral hours, and then brought in the following as the sum total of their labors:

"Resolved, That everybody shall have a fair chance."

mere playwriter, he said, could interpret the inspiration of the musician, while the latter, of course, could not degrade himself by giving musical forms to the inventions of the operatory-teller. Wagner reformed the opera. He preferred harmony to melody. Indeed in his latter works there is very little that suggests tune. There is a world of weard and wonderful sounds by which he interpreted emotion, but more melody was absent. Wagner is greatly indebted to the half mad King of Bavaria, whose purse has been at the disposal of the great composer. The latter has been able to produce his operas without regard to cost, and the musical world has been the gainer by this marriage of madness and music.

#### AFTER KILLING A MAN.

Now Engineers Feel Over the Dead-ly Work of the Locomotives. Philadelphia Press

The other night when the Western express arrived at the Broad street station from New York, Engineer Vandegrift discovered blood trickling down the spokes of the cow-catcher. He know that some deadly work had been done, but was at a loss to tell when and where it had occurred. He told Harry Feaster, the conductor of the train, what he had discovered, and unmediately word was telegraphed all along the line to make a search for any one who might have been struck by a train. Shortly atter midnight the dead body of a man was found near Bridesburg Station with the head crushed in. In the meantime the conductor and the engineer had gone to their homes. Conductor Harry Feaster told a fellow-conductor the next day that he had passed a sleep less night, and the engineer reported a simila

An old engineer said to a Press reporter the other day: "The public, taking them collectively, think that an engineer is a hard-hearted wrotch, and that he thinks no more of of runuing over a human being than he does of killing a cow or a hog. I've heard people say that we become hardened to it and don't mind it a bit; but that's a mistake, and a very grave one. I remember killing a man some five years ugo, and I know that I couldn't sleep for a month, except by its and starts. I used to have the most hourible hightmanes that ever

have the most horrible nightmanes that ever worried mortal mun.

"One night," continued the old engineer, as he shifted his quid of tobacco, "I had a horrible dream. That was an awful night. My wife woke me up. I had my band on the foorall of the bed, just as if I had hold of the throttle, and the heads of perspiration were standing out all over my face. My wife told me how I had yelled, "For God's sake, jump!" and how it had wakened her; and then she sprang out of bed shaking with fear, and when shook me and I saw where I was, I told her of my dream. It's a mean thing to accuse us of not minding killing people," said the engineer, as he took his oil can and started to oil his engine.

as he took his oil can and started to oil his eigme.

Not long ago, Engineer Edward Knowles stood examining his eigme in the Broad street station; he had just brought the "owl" train from Jersey City. There was a busy scene all about him; two southern expresses and two western trains were standing in the station. It was just four o'clock in the morning, and a very sharp, biting, chilly dawn; baggage portors and men laden with great bundles of Philsdelphia morning papers, fresh from the press, were hunying to the trains. The electric light was spitting and hissing, and casting wierd, instatical shapes and shadows about the engineer, who cood apparently gazing at nothing. A Press reporter opened conversation with Engineer Knowles, and after a good deal o' tak he said, as he leaned with one foot resting on

Newark.
Another engineer out in the Wast Philiadelphia yard told a reporter he know of a few instances where engineers had gone crazy from killing people with their engineer, "who was on the New Jensoy Central. He killed a woman up by Cinton one night, and that night I heard him tell the train-master, Billy Smith, at Elizabeth, all about it. He seemed to grow insane right there, and had a queer look in his eye. A wock after that he was put in a strait-jacket, and he's in an insane saylum to-day, nothing short of a maniac, and that happened nearly fifteen years ago."

#### The Canadian Pacific Railroad. Concurrate Commercial Gazette

The main line of the Canada Pacific Railway company will be 2,400 miles in length. The British government gave the company \$25,000, 1000 in money and 25,000,000 acres of hand, which is claimed to be worth an average of five dollars an acre. It is said that this gift will more than build and equip the road, leaving the company its entire capital stock and several million acros of land as not profit before a train million acres of land as not profit before a train is run. This simplies will be used in building branch lines and in establishing steamsing lines from Montreal to Europe on the cast, and from Port Moody with Austria and the Assatic ports on the west. The company's property will be exempt from all taxes forever. The theory is advocated that a company acquiring its property so cheap will become a regulator of the other trans-continental railway, and force them to treat the people fairly. The builders of the road, however, may reture and leave a company to operate it who have been persuaded to pay for the property about all that it is worth. It would seem also that the high latitude through which the road runs would mercase the cost or operating it, and subject it to other disadvantages. subject it to other disadvantages.

Hogs that Can Outrun a Nigger. When I was in South Carolina, says a cor respondent, I asked a planter I met why they bred the land-pike hog His scornful look expressed contempt for my agnorance. When he had gazed at me sufficiently he replied: 'Because they are the only swinc that can outrun cause they are the only swinc that can outrun a nigger." I suppose the Georgia niggers are not so fleet as those hiving in the adjoining state. At any rate the hogs are not of the stock that I have seen in the woods of South Carolina standing gruntless, looking into the trees, watching for an accorn to fall, and running off more flesh in the race to secure the nut than two accorns would produce. Outrun a nigger? Yes; outrun a blizzard, and be just as good eating.

#### The Cost of the Cup.

Demorest's Monthly. The amount of liquor consumed in Great Britian is enormous. It amounts to \$60,000,-000 every month, i. e , \$15,000,000 every week, and about \$25 for every recomit day and night. and about \$30 for every second day and hight. There are \$508,450 letters in the bible, and if \$250 were placed on every letter it would represent the annual expendation in Great Britain and Ireland. The grain consumed by brewers and distillers is sufficient to provide four loaves a week to every family in the united kingdom. These figures are really startling.

#### Shortening a Man's Stature.

Poston Herald. Muchael Davitt was sentenced on July 18, 1870, to fifteen years' penal servitude, having been convicted of treason follony. He was then 14 years old, stood six feet high, accordding to the prison registers, and weighed some thing the 185 pounds. Since then he has served all but a few weeks of nine years' time, and when he was liberated on the first oceasion it was discovered that not only had lie sion it was insert steat and the bear reduced in weight to 130 pounds, but that his beight had actually shrunk from six feet to five feet ten and one-half inches. I was very much astonished when he told me this, for I did not believe it was possible, barring

some accident, to shorten a man's stature to that extent. "It is very simple," said Davitt; "in my cell there was a water bucket fourteen inches high, with a cover to it. Upon that I had to sit all day long, without support for the back, and pick cakum. This was continued for a very long time, and it naturally cramped and diminished my height." They Must Have It.

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Demorest's Monthly.

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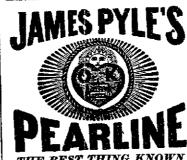
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Decatur, Ill., March 1, A. D. 1882.
DOSEPH BROWN, Administrator.
March 1-63w

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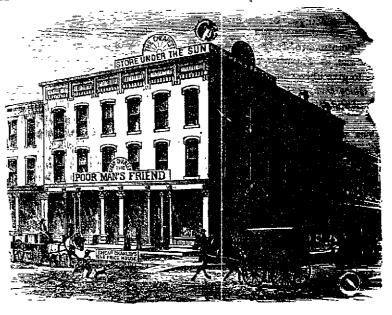
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS MACON COUNTY, SS MACON COUNTY, SS Of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois. Gaur Scott & Co. and The Johnson Harvester Company vs. Abner R. Bacon, George P. Hacon, John G. Shen, Richard T. Pafne and Julia Pame. Creditor's Bill—In Chancery.

Bacoi, John G. Sheu, Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine. Creditor's Bill-In Chancery.

NOTICE: Is bereby given to the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine, defendants above named, that the said complainants is retofore, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 185i, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county their certain bill of complaint wherein Almer B. Bacon, George P. Bacon and John G. Shea were parties defendant, and that by leave of the court, first had and obtained, the complainants on the 31st day of March. A. D. 1885, filed their certain supplemental bill the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine are also made parties defendant to said cause, and although the county of the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine are also made parties defendant to said cause, and affidavit of the non-residence of the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court and summons having issued out of chancery to the sherilf of said county against the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine and been returned by the sherilf not found, you, the said Richard T. Paine and Julia Paine and pener before the Circuit Court of Macon county, Hilmols, on the lirst day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 18th day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 18th day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon will be taken as confessed against you and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

W. C. Johns, Solicitot for Complainants.

#### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINGIS, | 88 Macon County. | In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1883 Sarab A. Agen vs. Monethan Agen—Divorce.

NOTICE is hereby given to the said defendant that the above-named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in Macon county. Jilinois, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1885, as is by law required; which suit is now pending in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of Circuit Court.

H. Pasco, Solicitor for Complainant.

Decatur, March 3, 1883-44w Sarah A, Agen vs. Monethan Agen-Divorce.

#### NOTICE TO OWNERS.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88

County of Macon, [88]
To Dennis O'Brien, Thomas W. Shastid, Just S. Fombelle, Gabriel L. Fombelle, Samuel Cooper and Elizabeth Cooper, (guardian of said Samuel Cooper): J. H. SIMPRON MEDICINECO.

No. 108 Main Street, Burfaio, N. Y.

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Its meetings occur on Tuesdays at 7½ p. m. and on Thursdays at 3 p. m., at headquarters of the Drainage District, in the county of Macon and State of Hilmois, against you, of Macon and where you can appear and assert your rights in the premises if you desire.

O. H. GARVER,

March 22, 1883-d2w Justice of the Peace

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This meetings occur on Tuesdays at 7½ p. m. and on Thursdays at 3 p. m., at headquarters in Central Block, the former being a Gosphi of the more meeting, and the latter one mainly for business. There is also a monthly coverted ing of the month. All are welcome to any control of the month. All are welcome to any control of the month.

# ADAM BLENZ.

# WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

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Entered at the Post Office at Docatur, Illinois, as econd class mail matter.

THERE COOPER, the great philanthropist, died yesterday in New York, in the 93d year of his age.

THE appointment of Judge Gresham, of Indiana, as Postmaster General, seems to give universal satisfaction. The Globe-Democrat pronounces it "the best and fittest" cabinet appointment yet made by President Arthur. It does not appear that Judge Gresham made any effort to secure the appointment.

Election Brevitles.

At Wheaton, Ill., the issue was license or no license, with the victory for the former.

Topeka, Kansas, chose a prohibition mayor.

At Galesburg, Ill., the "Liberals" carried the city election. In Fort Scott, Kansas, a citizens

ticket was successful over the regu lar Republican nominations. Ex Gov. John L. Routt was elected mayor of Denver, Col., by the Re-

In Chicago there was a total vote of 71,593. Carter Harrison's majority is 10,137, and the new council will have 20 Democratic and 16 Re-

Ben Butler's lieutenant, William Sprague, was beaten for governor of Rhode Island, though he received the united support of the Democrats, the Republican kickers and the com-

The New Orleans Times-Democrat, speaking of the large presperity of their city and its changed condition,

Those of our Northern brethren who have come among us find that this is no longer the New Orleans of ante bellum days, not even the New Orleans of ten years ago, but a new dity; bustling with business, lively with manufactories, and ringing with the bells of the locomotives. Those Northerners, who cannot come among us, learn through the columns of their papers and magazines that the old New Orleans of their school days, that city of vice and recklessness, where gayety, Mardi Gras, gambling, cholera and yellow forever, if it ever really existed at change in the administration is anticiall. With such results from these pated. visits, we gladly welcome every newstanda close inspection to day, and that no far-seeing person can elosely study this city without being fully convinced of the bright and brilliant future ahead for it.

That kind of spirit is what will build up New Orleans. Its location and surroundings mark it for a great city, and its future is not to be work. My xoice is fully restored and my head feels better than for years. B. F.

and returned on habeas corpus 4, during of Catarrh, my answer is, I can recomthe month; discharged 46, including 1 fe-mend it always as the best remedy I have and returned on habeas corpus 4, during male; 1 died, 1 was sent to the insance ever used. Dr. J. S. Vaughan, 1enti asylum, and 2 were pardoned: leaving 1,Muskegon, Mich. April 4-deod-w2 405 jumntes April 1. At the Southern Pendentiary March 1, there were 555 inmates April 1, including 10 females.

There are fifty-six men condemned to spend the rest of their days in confinement at Joliet. Of these the most conspicuous is Frank Rande. Why he was not sentenced to be hung rates on this eventsion to the following no one knows. It is one of those points puzzles with which the history of jury trials in this state abounds. He has endeavored to be notorious and disagreeable, but he has been brought to terms and is now in the saddle department. The Joliet penitentiary is probably the worst place in the world for a erank to display his individual characteristics. Meekness hand that paddles him are the only things that stand a man in hand there.-Peoria Journal.

of property has just come to light in New York city. Several years ago, Cornelius Brinkerhoff made a deed of his property to his wife, from whom he was afterward divorced for drunkenness. Having reformed, he now brings suit against the former Mrs. Brinkerhoff to recover the property, which is valued at \$118,000.— The ground on which he attempts to worst d Dress Goods, carried over from recover is that he did not know what he was about when drunk, and supposes the deal was signed through and plain. We also offer upon the same mistaking it? Let a paper of trifling basis a large and very full line of Ladies' introvkation. importance.

A curious case to contest the rights

who is investigating the matter of the last season's, they are exceptionally thournment land-grants to railroads, well kept, and at the prices we offer them the Best Bargains ever offered in this discovers that there are about 140.-000,000 acres of these lands that are claimed by the railroads, without having complied with the conditions of the law making the grants. He is in favor of Congress passing a law de-claring these lands forfeited to the Government, and opening them to settlers. There has been a great deal of sharp-practice by certain railroads in the matter of land grabbing during the past fifteen or twenty years, and if the Government can redeem some of the stolen property, it should do so without unnecessary

Ger McKenzie, at J. W. Baker's, to make you a pair of boots that will fit you.

March 15, d&wtf

Ask for Wilson Bros.' Shirts at B.

The following sales were lately made brough the agency of Montgomery & Shull, real estate dealers: Michael l'ogers, jr., to Edward C. Bessey, lot No. 12, block No. 11, C. H. Moore's addition; consideration, \$2,000.

R. T. Higgins to Cyrus Moore, lot No 20, block No. 2, Higgins' addition; con R. T. Higgins to Silas M. Keith, lot No. 5, block No. 4, Higgins' addition; consideration, \$150.

Job W. Johnson to Michael Rogers, jr lot 2, block 6, Peddecord & Burrows' dition; consideration, \$700.

Seven young men belonging to prominent families of DeWitt county, were tried March 29 and found guilty of stealing watermelons last fall. They raided a patch which belonged to George Cain. who was lying in wait for them, and as they jumped into the field he fired and wounded live of them seriously. The case has caused great excitement and much bad blood in that vicinity.

EARLY this morning a picture frame seller, named Rocky, met with a mishap on East Main street, He was seated in a buggy, driving H. W. Davis' white horse, when the suimal struck a soft place over the sewer in the graveled street, stumbled and fell heavily in the mud. The harness was broken, but the buggy escaped without serious injury. Rocky had to walk about in the mud and go off after another

Those who cannot spare the time to visit the old country should not fail to hear the lectures on Europe to be delivered by Prof. Ragan at the opera house on the 10th, 11th and 12th inst. The Professor will illustrate his instructive and humorous talk by means of a fine collection of pictures of scenes in Europe.

Said the Albany Press: Last night, Mr. Ragan's lecture at Mu sic hall was upon Venice, Milan, and the Italian lakes. It was well attended, and equalled in excellence the preceding lec-tures. He took his audience over the Brenner Pass into Italy, showed them Verona, the scene of Romeo and Juliet then to Venice with its unique and en-chanting views, thence to Turin and Milan, giving a superb view of the grand monumental cathedral in the latter place, and thence through the beautiful Italian lakes and over the Simplon Pass into Switzerland. The lecture was of absorbing interest, and was as delightful as i

RUSSELVILLE, Ill., April 5.—A most atroclous murder occurred Tuesday night at 5 o'clock on the county race track on the Pinkstaff farm, two miles west of this place, in Lawrence County. The particulars, as your representative gleaned them from reliable eye-witnessts, are as follows: A large number of persons had assembled at the race track to see the sport, and quite a number were intoxicated. Among them were two young men, James Smith and James Davis, who became involved in a dispute over the relative merits of the horseflesh on the ground, and Davis offered to wager 55 with Smith on a certain horse that took his fancy and was his favoaite. Smith insinusted that Davis did not have the small sum of 5, or in fact any money at all, to bet on anything, and also told him he had better dry up. Hot and angry words ensued, when Smith began to retreat. Davis followed him. Mr. Ike Miller and other bystanders got between the beiligerent men and attempted to quiet them, but with no effect. Then Mr. Miller and other bystanders got between the beiligerent men and attempted. Smith seemed to be somewhat timid, for during the time the peacemakers interfered Smith gradually retreated from his belligerent enemy, Davis followed him.

CUSSING AND ABUSING him a shameful manner. Miller finally succeeded in quieting the disturbance somewhat, when Davis and a man named Allison went off from the crowd a distance of forty-five feet. Here Davis and his companion excitedly discussed the situation, and Davis pulled off his overcoat. They remained there several minutes, when Davis, as if by a sudden implse, rushed back to the crowd where Smith was, and, stepping up to Smith, yelled, excitedly: "Face me now, you — Ride on me, if you think you can," Smith looked at his adversary and exclaimed, angrity: "I dare you to touch me." Without a moment's interventug Smith advanced Toward Lavis slowly and eautiously. When but 10 feet from Davis he stopped. Davis jerked out his revolver and presented it at Nn. 1's head. Smith steeped forward two steps THE alleged betrayer of Lizzie Holl is still in the custody of Sheriff Foster. Thomas McInerney is the name of the accused. As soon as he can furnish bail in the sum of \$600, the amount fixed by Justice Lowry, he will be set at liberty.

Rooting | Rooting Ferguson & Dillehunt do rooffing and spouting cheap. No. 13 Water street. March 5-dtf.

THE remains of W. D. Dorsey did not arrive in Decatur from Wellington, Kansas, this noon as was expected. They will probably arrive to-night.

He did not speak a single word after he was hurt. Great excitement prevailed when the crowd comprehended the disastrous and nutrderous termination of the row. The first impulse of the murderer was to run, but he only went a short distance, when he stopped and surrendered himself. The first shot that was fired missed his victim, but took effect in Joel Allison's heel, slightly wounding that gentleman. The affair creates the greatest excitement, and the village is in a perfect forment. Some seem to think that Davis was justified in shooting Smith, but the general of his in shooting Smith, but the general of all of the state of the diffair is doubly lamentable because of its drunken and rowdy character. THE trachers, patrons and school board of the Lincoln high school are engaged fever held sway, has disappeared in a general misunderstanding, and a

doubly lanentable because of its offlingen and rowdy character.

Davis, the nurderer, is a young man about 20 years of age. The Lawrence county authorities took charge of him, and he now languishes in the Lawrence county juli to await the preliminary trial.

Smith, the victim of this deadly tight, is between 25 and 30 years of age, and a married man, leaving a wife and three children. He was a finely-built man, tall and rather good-looking. The coroner's inquest was in progress, but the yerdiet of the same is not yet known. WOULD you be free from Catarrh, Hay comer, feeling that New Orleans can Fever and Cold in Head? Try Elys' Cream Balm. It is curing hundseds of chronic cases. Price 50 cents. Apply into the nostrils with little fin-

FROM B. F. LIEPSNER, A. M., Red Bank, N. J.: I have been troubled with Catarrb so badly for several years that it

LIEPSNER. On March 1 the Joliet state prison had Mr. John R. Bennerr, druggist, Mus-kegon, Mich. In regard to your inqui-ries about Ely's Cream Balm for the cure

Virtue Acknowledged. Mrs. Ira Mulholland, Albany, N. Y., prisoners; 38 were received and 19 dis-charged during the month; leaving 569 from oft-recurring bilious headaches, dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex. Since using your Bundock Brood Birrens I am entirely relieved." Price

were lynched by a mob at this place. Or Friday hast a mask was found near the place of the assault which the authorities succeeded in maiching with a stand cover in the Central hotel, in a room occupied by Green, the man under arrest with Babcock and Ingrabam. On Saturday evening Babcock asked for a piece of paper, on which he wrote a confession, in effect as follows: That their only intention was robbery, for which purpose they ordered their victim away from town to a common, and then, when Millet ran, Ingraham shot hlm. On Sunday morning the authorities, fearing trouble, instened their prisoners to Elincoln. The coroner's jury, not having returned a verdict, refused to do so until they had further examined the prisoners, who were brought backaday before to Howard, within the count, where the corner and jury hastened. The murderers were brought to this city on the B. and M. train and were inmediately driven at a high speed to the court-house, in company with Sheriff the white morned. Exentsion to the Heart of Dakota. The Illinois Central R. R. will run a Special Train to Pierre, Dakota, leaving During his career as "The Bandit of | Decatur at 6 a. m., Tuesday, April 17th. the Wabash" he killed eight men. Notice the One way and Round trip

Decatur to Tracy, Minn.
Decatur to Watertown, Dakota
Frankfort,
Huron,
Redfield,
Aberdeen, Ordway, Wessington, Hex, Bramball, "Pierre, Round trip tickets good for forty days. and a cheerful disposition to kiss the Sleeping cars, coaches and baggage cars

to this city on the B. and M. train and were immediately driven at a high speed to the court-house, in company with Sheriff Hutchinson and two assistants. While at the court-house the coroner gave a verdict to the effect that C. M. Millett, on March 27, came to his death by a pistol shot fired from the hands of the aforesaid prisoners, who were then arraigned before Judge Work and the verdict read. When the judge asked, "Guilty or not guilty?" Green and Ingraham pleaded "Not guilty" and Babcock "Guilty." An immense crowd assembled around the court-house and masked men were in the back street, denoting that there might be a neck-the party hefora morning. At about 19:30 p. m., a posse of thirty-five masked and armed men came out of an alley-way opposite the room which the prisoners were being closely guarded, wended their way up the court-room, broke in the door, covered the guards with guns, and demanded that they leave the room. The murderers were then bound and gagged and brought down, the lookers on being held at hay and out permitted to follow. The prisoners were taken to the St. Joseph and Western railroad bridge, half a mile north of the depot, and there they were hanged. The lynchers did their work well. There, under the bridge, were found dangling in the air the lifeless forms of Green and Ingraham. Babcock was taken to the eity by the lynchers and turned over to the authorities. go through to Pierre without change, and baggage checked to the above points. Applications for maps, circulars had sleeping car berths should be made to the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa. Dakota is the wonder of the age, and here is an opportunity to see some of its attractions at a low rate. J. F. MERRY.

Gen. Western Pass. Agt. Bargains.

To gain room for our new stock now coming is, we offer at half original prices about fifty pieces and half pieces of last season. These goods embrace some very excellent styles in checks, stripes, and Misses' Hosiery and Corsets. We must have and need the room for fresh Congressman Payson, of this State, and new goods, and though these goods city. Call early and see what we are offering you. Chear Store. apr3d&wlw

> Rooting. Mr E. M. Dodd, of Ohio, a skillful roofer and tinner, has opened a shop on State street, in the rear of Nebinger & Reeser's leather store. He is making a specialty of slate, tin and iron roofing, spouting and repairing, and all kinds of tin, copper and sheet iron work done with neatness and dispatch.-Plain and ornamental slating contracted and executed in a workmanlike manner. Parties having any-thing done in his line will do well

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SpecialDispatches

an Atrocious Murder.

Two Murderers taken from Jail and

Hanged by Vigilants—A Negro Boy

Lynched—General News.

FELL TO THE GROUND.

Judge Lynch's Speedy Punishment.

HASTINOS, Neb., April 5.—There will double lynching here Tuesday night; ne details of which are about as fol-

lows:
On the 27th of March last C. M. Millett was killed by three men at Hastings while they were attempting to rob him, being shot in the back of the head. Three men named Green, lugraham and Babcock were arrested for the crime, and Tuesday night were lynched by a mob at this place. On

Friday last a mask was found near the place

ities.

The lynching party took off the coats of both Green and Ingraham, together with their boots and hats, and, after pintoning their hands and feet, slipped the fatal nooses over their heads, then fastening the other ends to the bridge, they uncerementously shoved the two wretches

off, and in an instant afterwards they

were daugling silently in the darkness be-low. The company then quietly dispersed. The scene was afterwards visited by curi-

The scene was afterwards visited by curricus people, who had been aroused by the occurrence. There is not much excitement and the people generally feel relieved that the fellows have met the fate they deserved.

Used to say: "Boys, if your blood is out of order try Burdock tea;" and then they had to dig the Burdock and boil it down

in kettles, making a nasty, smelling de-coction; now you get all the curative properties put up in a palatable form in BURDOCK BLOOD BITTHES. Price \$1.00;

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THE CRIMINAL CALENDAR. A Drunken Dispute Ends in

Previous moeting.

Frank C. Hayman delivered the opening address, and it was responded to by A. J. Blood. After the tanusaction of a quantity of routine business the Rev. R. W. Gentry, President and founder of the association, and owner of one of the finest flocks in the State, delivered the annual address, which was an eisborate and valuable document. The convention will be in session four days, and a number of important papers will be read by practical sheep ruisers. To-day there will be a public shearing, during which about one hundred of the finest blooded sheep will be sheared and prizes awarded.

The Missouri Shorthorn Breeders' Association also met in this city yesterday afternoor. There are about twenty-rive owners of fine herds of pure-breed cattle present, and as many more are expected this morning. Chas. E. Leonard, of Cooper County, is President and Phil Chew, of the St. Louis Journal of Agriculture, is Secretary. Only a preliminary meeting was held, and the actual work of the session will begin to-day. previous meeting.

Frank C. Hayman delivered the opening

Cattle and Sheep Raiser's Conventions

SEDALIA, Mo., April 5.—The Missouri State Wool-Growers' Association opened their third annual convention in this city at 7 o'clock last evening at Sicher's Park. The attendance of sheep men this year will be at least one-third greater than any other newtons meeting.

Probably a Murder. BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 5.—Yester-day morning the 1., B. and W. passenger express going east did a frightful execu-tion upon the body of an unknown man at express going east that a maknown man at singar Creek bridge, near the fair grounds, west of the city. The affair is at present shrouded in mystery, the identity of the victim not even being established, but it is thought he was the victim of foul play. He was either lying or waiking on the track at a point just west of the bridge when the engine struck blin. His body was thrown beneath the merciless wheels and cut into mines ment, fragments being scattered along the track for a distance of at least 300 feet. The position of the body, the clothing and other circumstances suggest the possibility that the unknown may have been marriered and then placed on the track to hide the crime, consequently a thorough investigation will be had.

BISMARCK. Mo., April 5.—Bart Q. Mitchell, late watchman at the depot, was arrested here yesterday on the charge of forging a pass over the Iron Mountain railroad from Bismarck to Harrisburg, Ark. He was committed to the county jall to swalt trial at the May term of the Circuit Court at Farmington. The pass was gotten up while Mitchell was night watchman and had access to the desk of the agent at Bismarck, and was sold to Burrel Ritter, who used to go from Bismarck to Arkansas, where he was engaged with his father, Wood Ritter, in working on the Knoebel branch of the Iron Mountain railroad. Mitchell is the man who shot Yates here some time ago and is regarded by some as a bad man. Forging a Railroad Pass.

some as a bad man. Clubbed by a Chicken Thief.

Indianapolis. Aprilo.—Chicken thieves have been depredating the country west of Indianapolis until hardly a fowl is left. Night before last Robert Earls borrowed a neighbor's rifle and stood guard over his coop. About 2 o'clock this morning he saw a negro enter, and fired, wounding him in the hip. Earls captured him and started for town to deliver him to the officers. On the way the negro tried to escape but stumbled over a small knoll. Earls fell on top of him and both rolled for some distance on the ground. In their struggic eventually the negro wrested the gun from Earls and clubbed him over the head until he could offer no further resistance and then made his escape. Earls is badly hurt. Clubbed by a Chicken Thief.

INDIAMAPOLIS, Ind., April 5.—The State Christian Temperance Union met with a large attendance. The reports of the Secretary and from members of the local unions prosent showed that the temperance people of the State were far from discouraged, but were in a fighting mood. Mr. Wooster, of Montezuma, whose extraordinary persecutions by saloon men have been noted in the newspapers, made a speech, in which he told his story, and closed by offering a resolution of one sentence: "We will fight till we die," which was aborted. A Temperance Meeting.

adopted.

A resolution expressing confidence in Mrs. Helen M. Gougar, and Capt. W.illace was offered and referred. A Fatal Explosion of Giant Powder A Fatal Explosion of Glant Powder.
JOPLIN, Mo., April 5.—News reached
this city Tuesday night of a deplorable accident from the explosion of glant powder
in the mines at Webb City in the morning.
resulting in the instant death of a miner
named Jos. Huttsly. He was running a
drift to connect with another, and misunderstanding the number of shots that were
put in, returned to his work just as the
second shot was discharged. His head and
body was torn and lacerated in a most fearful manner.

TROY, Mo., April 5.—A few days since a negro couple living in the northern part of this county, near Elisberry, went to church, leaving at home two little children, aged 5 and 3 years, locking them up in the house. When the parents returned from the charter of the parent of the par nouse, when the parents returned from preaching, their horror and grief may be imagined at finding their home in ashes, having by some unknown means caught offer. A search of the ruins only discovered the blackened bones of the unfortunate little algebras.

Recavering from Hydrophobia. MARSHALL, Tex., April 5.—Some time ago Oliver Good, a youth living near Lodi, thirty miles north of here, was bitten by their miles north of here, was brief of the 'dog'. Hydropholia manifested itself has week, and his life was depaired of age to say, by soothing, nourishing to atment and as olding force and medicine, the disease is yielding and recovery is marketing.

Fined for an Assault at the Polls. St. Joseph, Mo., April 5.—In the Police court this morning George Crowther was fined \$75 and costs for assaulting City Counselor Pike as he was casting his ballot in the city election day before yesterday. He was very indignant, but as he had pleaded guilty could not appeal and paid the tine.

A Young Lady Shot. Brownsville, Tex., April 5.—The other night the house of two young ladies named Harrch, in Cullacan, was attacked by some unknown assailants, who poured a perfect rain of bullets through the open door, one of which severely wounded one of the young ladies.

A Bank President Sued for Libel. ROCKFORD, ILL.. April 5.—A. M. Johnson, a leading manufacturer here, vesterday brought suit against Hon. Gibert Woodruft, president of the Rockford National Bank, for libel, and placed the damages at \$40,000. A lively time is predicted when the case comes to trial. A Brakeman Killed.

STAUNTON, Ill., April 5.—Hamlin Ayleworth, a brakeman on the Wabash, was run over at Mine No. 5 about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, breaking both of his legs and his back. Ho was sent to St. Mary's Hospital in Litchfield this morning.

Fresh, New, Nobby

We beg to inform the patrons and friends of our house, and the ladies of Decatur and vicinity generally, that we are now receiving from day to day a bran new stock-adapted for the spring and summer trade. We display a line of dress goods, dress goods materials, trimmings, laces and lace goods, ladies' underwear, hosiery and corsets, equal to the best in the market. Among other desirable and excellent styles of dress goods we show a large line of the celebrated Jamestown Mohairs—comprising some of the handsomest patterns of the season. In this class of goods as well as all other classes of dry goods, prints, ginghams shirting, sheetings, spring wraps, house keeping goods, men's dress and unlaun dried shirts, fancy goods and notions we are able to compete with the foremost and all that we ask is, look at our goods and get our prices. We strive to give our

the least money. CHEAP STORE. m90-daw1w Two new shoemakers from St. Louis at J. W. Baker's. All late style shoes mch 15, d&wtf made to order.

customers the very best and the most for

J. J. LAVENDER, Gallatia, Ill., says: "I have used Brown's Iron Bitters for indigestion, and it does all that is claimed for it."

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 5.—The announcement that President Arthur appointed Judge Walter Q. Gresham Postmaster General was received with the liveliest satisfaction, mixed with great wonder, for his name had not even heretofore been mentioned in connection with the office. Governor Porter and Assistant Secretary New exhausted the list of Indiana's probabilities in that direction in the public in that direction in the had been tendered him was sufficient to satisfy them that it would be accepted. He has made no secret of his desire to leave the bench, going so far even as to say on one occasion that he should not have been appointed, and in case his retirement came about his entrance into political tife was expected. The appointment doubtless as as much of a surprise to him as it was to his friends, for owing to pecular reasons he had no expectation of the support of Indiana's delagation at Washington for any office. Indeed it is not an exaggerated statement that the jealousies among Indiana's Republican leaders led many to the helief that they would not agree in the support of any representative man for a Cabinet office, and therefore that the state would not be represented there. But the people will hail the appointment Satisfied with the Presidents Appointment.

Lynched for Rape.

LITTLE ROCK, April 5.—A horrible outrage was committed in the suburbs of El Dorado Tuesday about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. A little daughter of the late Hon. Judge H. Askew, aged 8 years, was returning home from ichool when she was selzed near her mother's house, carried by violence some distance into the woods and raped by a brutal negro. The child returning home, a mother's fears were aroused and the outrage was reported in the village. A search for the offender was at once commenced. During the evening several negro boys were carried before the injured child for identification, but she failed to recognize in the crowd the offending party. The search was kept up all night and vesterday morning, a negro boy. Albert Williams by name, living four miles from El Dorado, was carried before the little girl and immediately identified by her as the demon. Soon afterwards, that there might be no mistake, he, in company with eight others, was taken before her, when she at once singled him out. The people then took the prisoner before Magistrate H. L. Chandler, where an examination was commenced, but, a riot threatening, the officers ordered the prisoner to jail for sete keeping. En-route to jail a mob overwas commenced, but, a riot threatening, the officers ordered the prisoner to jail for safe keeping. En-route to jail a mob overcome the officers, captured the negro, took him to the scene of the crime, where he made a full and complete confession. Twenty minutes later his lifeless body was swinging from a tree.

Lynched for Rape.

No Further Danger Apprehended from

the Indians.

Santa Fr. N. M., April 5.—Colonel Forsythe and command are still in the Animas range. The hostiles seemed to have scattered and fied to Mexico. Capt. Black and the Shakspeare Guards were camped on Monday night eight miles from Forsythe's camp, and their reported fight has not yet taken place. The story telegraphed as to the attack on stockmen on the Pecos river by Muchaco Negro and fifty renegade Comanches also turns tout to be untrue. Rehegade Mescaleros, under Muchaco Negro, stolo some horses on the Pecos, and are now being pursued by Lieut. Yale and a detachment of twenty cavalry.

One Company of the 4th Caviry has been ordered from Fort Stanton to Fort Selden to scout the country between the Rio Grande and Deming, and a detachment of forty mounted infantry is on a scout between silver City and Lordsburg.

Reports from the Navajo Agency show everything to be quiet. There is also no apprehension of a general outbreak at the Satterlos Agency.

Arson and Murder.

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ELMIRA. N. Y., April 5.—At Wellsboro, Pa., yesterday George Travers, aged 30, was arrested on the charge of burning Cha-les Austin's barn, three miles from town, night before last, and burning to death therein Mrs. Martha Sylva, an inoffensive, weak-minded woman. He was charged with arson and murder, and the Coroner's pury held him for legal examination to-morrow. The woman's charred remaps were identified by articles found near her person. There are many ugly rusnear her person. There are many ugly ru-nors, some of which may take definite shape at the examination to-day.

Two Children Burned to Death, Two Children Burned to Beath,
NASHVILLE, TENN., April 5. -At noon
yesterday a fire broke out in the residence
of Hardy Hughes, colored, in Shelbyville,
and spread so rapidly that the efforts of
several persons to save Hughes' two children from burning to death was unavailing. The Cumberland Presbyterian Church
was greatly damaged and two cottages adjoining were destroyed, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogan. \_ Washingron, April 5.—Mr. Logan and Mrs. Logan, who have been here since the adjournment of congress, left Wednesday evening for Chicago. They will remain there but a few days, and will then to Santa Fe. New Mexico, where they will spend the summer.

Eloped with a Hackman. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 5.—A Mrs. Mison eloped Tuesday with a hackman, called Dandy Hare, leaving her husband, a hardworking man, behind her. It is not known what direction she took.

A Weman Burned to Beath MARYVILLE, O., April 5.—Mrs. Jacob Scheiderer, who resides one mile south of Maryville, was burned to death yesterlay by her clothes catching fire while working about the cook stove.

NEWS NOTES.

The centennial of the birth of Washington Irving was celebrated at Tarrytown, N. Y., on Tuesday.

A holler in one of the Griffin mills at Moss Point, Miss., exploded on Tuesday. Nine men were killed and ten wounded. President Arthur intends to visit Chicago. St. Louis and other Western cities next June, if not prevented by official duties. Adelina Patti has been suct for \$2,000 alleged to be due the estate of the late Sig. Morians Manzoechi for singing lessons aften her from 1857 to 1860. The German Roichstag, which reasembled on Tuesday, adopted resolutions of thanks for relief extended to German flood sufferers by Americans.

The German Socialists concluded a three

days' secret session at Copenhagen, Denmark, on Tuesday. The German police believed the congress was being held in whiterboard. believed the congress was being held in Switzerland.

Frederick de Froville, a former member of the Signal Corps, shot and killed his wife and then himself in Washington on Tuesday night. The deed grew out of the wife's refusal to live with him.

A concert with Patti, Albani, Scalebi, Ravelli, and Galasel in the cast was given at the New York Academy of Music on Tuesday night for the benefit of the endowment of the Washington and Lee University

At Dubois, Pa., on Monday evening Mike McLaughlin and Martin Linksley, neither of them 18 years of age. fought a prixe-fight. In the sixth round Linksley was thrown and his neck broken, death resulting instantly. McLaughlin gave himself up.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 1 88 Macon County, 1 88 In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1883 Theodore S. Fitch vs. Anna Fitch—Divorce.

NOTICE is hereby given the said defendant
that the above-named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complain in said Court
on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thersupon issued out of said Court
against the above-named defendant, returnabie on the first day of the next term of the
Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, to be
held at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, on the Second
Monday in May, A. D. 1881, as is by law required, which suit is now pending in said court.
E. MCLELLAN, Clerk.

W.C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Complainaut.

April 4, 1833—d4w\* Theodore S. Fitch vs. Anna Fitch-Divorce.

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plain selling figures Big 18. CHEAP STORE. man for a caonet once, and therefore than the state would not be represented there. But the people will hall the appointment with satisfaction, for his integrity and ability are recognized by all.

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in advance. No trade advertisements inser WANTED-A good cook at the Commercia Hotel. Apply at once. 4d6\* JESSE DIVAN.

S BAMSTRESS — Any one wishing a good Seamstress to sew in the family—one who can cut and fil—or any one destring embrodery neatily done, call at No. 30 West Wood st. apr4d6\* WANTED-A man to travet in Central IIII who is to sell goods for a New York Lace House, Address P. O. Box 281, J. P. H., Deca tur, III. April 3-dlw

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In Gilbert & Sullivan's new Farry Comic Onera, entitled

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admission.—Reserved Seats, \$1.00; general admission, 75 and 50 cents. The safe of seath for the operal of "polanthe" will commence Thursday morning, April 5th, at Curtis & Co.'s jewelry store. CHANCERY NOTICE.

TATE OF ILIANOIS, t<sub>88</sub>
Macon County, i 88
In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1883. Jack Chemicourt, May Term, A. D. 1883, Insephine Jenkinson vs. John M. Jenkinson, Divorce.

Divorce.

A FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendant, John M. Jenkinson, having heen filed in the office of the Clerk of said John M. Jenkinson that the above-named complainment herefore filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the chancery side there of that there a summans theretopon issued our plaint in said Court on the chancery said thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the said John M. Jenkinson, the about-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Court, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Deceiver, in said county of Macou, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1883, as is by hw required and which said is still rending. ict, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLIAN, Clerk of said Court.

JAS. E. Downing. Solicitor for Complainan

April 4, 1883—44w\*

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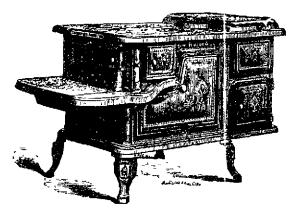
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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CITY ELECTION.

By request of many friends of all parties, I bereby announce myself an independent candidate for City Clerk at the ensuing April election.

HON, L. I. HAWORTH has consented to be a candidate for mayor on the temperance ticket at the coming city election at the request of many friends.

many friends.

We are authorized to announce Engs Kerter as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the Republican convention.

EDS. REPUBLICAN:—It JAMES H. MILLIKIN would consent to take the field for city clerk at the enging election he will be elected by a large majority.

We are authorized to announce ANDER SHOEMARKER us a candidate for albernan in the fifth ward.

WE are authorized to announce William J.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM J. USHEY as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce C.O. Jerson as a candidate for city treasurer, subject to the Republican convention. We are authorized to announce J. J. II YOUNG, JR., as a candidate for city clerk, sub-ject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce DAVID HUTCHISON As a candidate for re-election to the other of city attorney.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES M, BURPER SAR I candidate for city civils, subject to the Republican convention. We are authorized to announce CHARLES II. FULLER as a candidate for city clerk at the ensuing municipal election,

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

WALK in and see the Novelty Baby Carriages at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

CALDWELL has the best hard coal in market. . P. O. Block. MY RESIDENCE, corner of North Main and King streets, is for sale. Possession could be given in 60 days from date of

WM. J. QUINLAN. ie. March 1-d6w The Turners will dence to-night. We are now having genuine April

THE city of Bloomington is humping erself to secure a nail factory.

THE roof of the old Masonic building was torn off and carted away to-day. Another meeting of the city council will be held to-morrow evening.

DEHAVEN is a wonder. He has been in the city several days, and will prob-

THE Old Fellows at Danville have organized a sirver cornet band, and have purchased instruments costing \$1,600.

The population of Decatur yesterday norning was increased by a pair of twins, but the reporter thus far has failed to learn the name of the modest father. THE probabilities are that the last

Social Club party of the season, at the St. Nicholas hotel to-night, will be largely EVERYBODY should know that Fergu-

on & Dillehunt's hardware store is at No. 3 North Water street. THE next board of supervisors will stand II Republicans to 9 Democrats. Robt, H. Woodcock, of Macon, one of the

newly elected Republican supervisors, was formerly president of the hoard. Cann at Pope & Bro.'s popular store in opera block for fine family groceries,

delivered to any part of the city. THE "Citizens' Railway Company seems to be on top at last. It will build

a street-car line on Eldorado street. By request of her friends Emma Bond s selling her pictures, cabinet size, at \$1 each. Miss Bond's address is Taylorville.

ors of the faith were from Dalton City, and were converted under the preaching of Eider John W. Tyler.

E. M. Doop a practical roofer, spouter, etc., is on deck on State street, 2d door north of William street. 336

M. P. MURPHEY will deliver another peech on temperance at the tabernacle to-morrow night. We are authorized to state that Hou. J. B. Finch will not visit Decatur until two or three days before the city election.

DON'T forget that Ferguson & Dillelimut will store stoves. No. 13 North Water street.

Save dollars by purchasing fashionable and substantial harness at J. W. Tyler's store, south side city park.

A FINE wheat-making rain fell in this region last night. Most of it went into the gaping ground.

THE ladies of Decatur should call at Cole's drug store for fine toilet soaps and

Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars are sold by all leading dealers in Decatur at a nickel each. FRESH eggs, canned goods and fresh

butter are specialties at Niedermyer's store on the mound.

A LOGAN county man, in order to lead a cow, tied her behind a wagon which he was driving last Sunday. When the wagon started the cow refused to go, and as a result her jaw was pulled off. It became necessary to shoot the animal to put her out of misery.

Thompson & Baker make the best fitting shirts in the city. 30 - 10

Mr. OLIVE Coal Co.'s coal makes no clinkers; burns up clean. To be had only at Venuigerholz's Coal Yard. Mar. 15dtf

IT is stated that the South Side Whist Club will soon present a comedy entitled "The Last Loaf," and it is added that the members who take part in the play are possessed of considerable dramatic talent. Those who are fortunate enough to receive invitations to witness the play, may expect a rich treat.

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT will store stoves for the season, at No. 13 North Water street. mch 5-dtf PLAIN and fancy roofing a specialty.

See Dodd on State street, 2d door north of William. ENTER in your diary to go to Venice, Milan and the Italian Lakes, Tuesday, April 10th.

Paris, the magnificent, Wednesday, April 11th. London, from the top of an omnibus

Thursday, April 12th, 17dtf THE popular "Blower" hand made. clear Havana filler, five cent cigar, is made by Keck & Weigand, East Eldorado street, who also manufacture the famous

The Revival. There were 34 seekers at the altar at the Rev. Harrison revival at the Union Methodist meeting last night, and of this number about 8 professed conversion. The vast congregation remained in the packed auditorium throughout the interesting services, which were wholly in charge of the "boy preacher", who is as active today as he was when he came to Decatur over four months ago. To-night's service will commence the 19th week of the revival, and it having been announced that the meeting would close on April 11th, no doubt many of the serious ones will improve the few days remaining and seek

Ar the session of the council last night the committee reported in favor of granting the Citizens' Street Railway Company the right to build a street car track on Eldorado street, from Front to North Water, and thence south on Water to East Main street, and the report was adopted by a vote of 7 to 3-a good, healthy majority. The report in full may be found in the council proceedings in another column. This action meets with the hearty approval of the new street car company, and no doubt very soon the new line will be built and operated by D. S. Shellabarger, John B. Shellabarger, W. L. Ferguson, J. H. Brayton and A. E. Kinney, the incorporators of this company. It is intended to make it a first-class line in every respect.

That Jug Handled Affair Below we give the total of the votes

each candidate received at Tuesday's election in Decatur township when the Republicans had everything their own

Joseph Michl, "B. O. McReynolds," B. McGorray, clerk 1072 Fred. J. Smith, assessor 1043 James S. Carter, rep., collector. C. C. Radeliff, ind. D. A. Maffit, commissioner . W. T. Dillehunt, overseer.

John Williams, " Henry Jimisou, poundmaster.....

FARMERS from different parts of the county in the city to-day report that the recent rains and snow have brought out the winter wheat splendidly, and that fields that looked bad a short time ago now look green and promise more than half a crop. Many believe that most of the fields in the county will yield largely, and that the croakers will be surprised when the harvest is made.

A Social Affair. A company of friends were very pleasantly entertained last evening at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Johns, by their daughter, Miss Laura Johns. Those present were: Mrs. Dr. Harper, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johns, the accomplished hostess, and Misses Belle Burrows. Hattie Hardy, Jessie Stevens, Henry Prather's addition to the city of Hattie Howell and Allie Priest, Messrs. Ed. Judson, Joe Alexander, Bert J. Hardy, Ed. Powers, Arthur Alexander and Sherry Johns. Delicious refreshments

PROF. BLACK, the evangelist, will preach at the Christian church to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. All are invited to hear this gifted divine.

were served during the evening.

A Card. Lauguage is inadequate to express my gratitude to my numerous friends (regardight of way a T rail twenty pounds to less of party) who supported me in the contest for township collector. I am under many obligations to all (though I was large in width, and on the inside with Lauguage is inadequate to express my der many obligations to all (though I was defeated.) I am in good spirits, and by planks 12 inches in width, said planks to be laid lengthwise throughout the solicitation of my friends I have an-

at the ensuing April election, I am, Respectfully, Charles C. Radcliff

An important improvement on the grounds of the Decatur Furniture Company will soon be visible to the naked eye. For several years the company has been in need of storage room for farniup this season a two-story brick building, 40 feet wide and 100 feet long, which will be erected on the ground west of the factury. The new building will be built on a line with the factory, finsh with the sidewalk lengthwise. The furniture will be packed up and stored in this new building ready for slupment. \*

We have received a copy of the Daily Gate City, of March 22d, published at Keekuk, Town. It contains an amouncement of the death of John Corwine, aged 83, who a number of years ago was a resident of Decatur. His son John was a printer in the old Guzette office, and another son, George Corwine, was at one time employed as a timer at Morehouse, Wells & Co.'s store. The deceased was born in Kentucky. The funeral occurred

at Keokuk. OPERATIONS at the Decatur woolen mill have ceased for the present. The superintendent, Mr. Van Riper, intends going on the road in the interest of a manufacturing firm in the south. It is not known when the wheels at the factory will be set in motion again.

THE members of the High School Alumni should remember that the annual preliminary meeting of the association will be held at the high school building to-morrow evening. A full attendance of the membership is desired.

The Illinois watch factory band, of Springfield, is giving concerts in various towns in the western part of the state.

"Iolanthe." This charming opera will be first presented in Decatar by the Ford Company on Monday evening next. "Tolanthe" is an opera in many particulars unlike the other productions of its celebrated anthors. It is a sweet-toned, melodious opera, the instrumentation is particularly fine and the concerted vocal numbers are deliciously sweet, while the humor is rich and sensuous, and "like the perfumed air laden with the music of the spheres." The argument of the opera is expressed in one word-it is a satire upon the English House of Lords, and the libretto is in Gilbert's usual pungent and fascinating vein, and proves of sufficient interest to keep the action observed in every detail, and presents a series of Peers and Peris that come as pleasant strangers. The characters are each en rapport with their audience, and the opera moves be-

fore the people with remarkable smooth-

ness. The sale of reserved seats for the

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. The Official Report—The New Street Rail-

of Public Interest.

way Enterprise-Other Business

The city council of the city of Decatur met at the council rooms at half-past even o'clock, April 4th, 1883. Present: Ald. Bramble, Cox, Dinneer

Gogerty, Hardy, Mills, Parks, Schroll, Shlaudeman and Shoemaker.

The council proceeded to business Mayor Waggoner in the chair. Minutes of meeting held April 2d, 1883,

ead and approved. J. N. Bills asked the council for a per mit to erect a building on lot 9, block 10, Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s addition. On motion, matter referred to the committee on public improvements.

Peddecord & Burrows et al. petitioned the council to cause to be opened for pub lic use Great Western Avenue. On mo tion, rules were suspended and the committee on streets and alleys empowered to act in the matter.

W. C. Armstrong asked the council for a druggist's permit to sell liquors, which was, on motion, granted until the 10th of May next.

R. Ferguson and others petitioned the council to erect a lamp at the northeast corner of B. H. Cassell's first addition. and to continue the sidewalk one block east from said corner. Referred to committees on gas and sidewalks and cross-

A communication was received from Mrs. C. E. Athons in relation to the 3d ward sewer and referred to the committee on public improvements. Theo. Nelson, city treasurer, reported

receipts and expenditures during the month of March, 1883. Report received and placed on file. W. H. Shorb, superintendent of streets

reported the amount of lumber received. expended and on hand, and labor performed during the month of March. 1883. Report received and placed on file. J. S. Hewes, city murshal, J. M. Lowry

T. B. Albert and B. McGorray, J. P., each reported police cases tried during the month of March, 1883. Reports received and placed on file. Report of D. C. Corley, J. P., read and

referred to the finance committee. The following report of the committee on streets and alleys in relation to granting right of way to the Citizens' Street

Railway company, and a remonstrance against granting the right of way over the improved streets was read, and the report subsequently adopted. Report of the committee on streets and

alleys in reference to the Citizens Street Railway company of Decatur: We recommend that a right of way be granted by the city council of Decatur to

Decatur, running thence along Front street to East Eldorado street, thence west to North Broadway street, thence south to East North street, thence west to North Water street, thence south to East Main street, thence west to the old square, thence across the old square to the New Deming hotel, thence in a curve to South Main street, the exact location of said right of way throughout the old square to be fixed by the city council; thence along South Main street to what is known as Cemetery street, thence along said Cemetery street to a point sixty feet north of the main entrance of Greenwood cemthe solicitation of my friends I have announced myselef an independent candidate for city clerk. Thankful for past
favors, and asking the support of voters

this right of way, the planks outside of
the rails to be bevelled on the outer edge,
as shown in model, the track to be of
standard gauge, that is 4 feet 81% inches,
the cross ties to equal in length the width of the outer planks, the entire line to be built subject to the supervision of the

city engineer and city council. W. H. Bramble,

F. M. Cox. Upon recommendation of the commit tee on streets and alleys the ditches were ordered cobbled on the west and north ture, and it has been determined to put sides of F. F. Randolph's residence, he to

contribute \$50 toward cost of same. The committee on public improvement reported in favor of putting in a wooden culvert on South Franklia street. Report

The following report of expert committee, and the communication of the treasurer of the Clapp & Jones Manufactur ing company were read, when on motion of Ald. Shlandeman the report was adopted, and a warrant for \$5,000 ordered is-

sued to Clapp & Jones, to apply on purchase of pump. DECATUR, March 26, '83. To Committee on Water Works:
Genfa: We, the committee, having been chosen to examine the Clapp & Jones pump now in use at the water works would respectfully make the following report, viz: That an eccentric and mechanism similar to that on the main valve be used, instead of that now used to op-

erate the cut-off valves. We also recom-mend that a hand wheel and pointer be placed on the valve stem to indicate the changes made in setting the valves. We have also examined the foundations and believe them to be sufficiently strong. All of which we respectfully submit.

H. H. STAFFORD,
WM. M. BOLD,

ROBT. FARRIS.

WM. H. BRAMBLE, Eso., Chairman of the Fire and Water Com., Decatur, Ill.: We will comply with the report of the expert committee appointed by your council to investigate the new pumping machinery made March 26, 1883. We respectfully request that a payment of six thousand (\$6,000) dollars be allowed to us. I am

900) dollars be and Yours respectfully,
D. Brisfallen, Treas, of the Clapp & Jones Mfg Co. The committee on gas reported the bill

of the Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co. for the month of March as correct, and a warrant was ordered issued in payment for **\$111.**60. The following claims were approved

and warrants ordered issued in payment: Ferguson & Dillehunt, \$14.27; J. B. Stout, \$26.25; Dr. A. R. Small, \$12.25; Close, Griswold & Co., \$27.72. Mr. Ragan appeared before the council in behalf of Charles H. Thomas, who had

been arrested and fined, and made a statement in relation to the matter, when June. Ald. Shoemaker moved that the fine be remitted. Carried. On motion the council adjourned until Friday, April 6, 1833, 7½ o'clock p. m.

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TOLEDO, April 5

CAR LOTS-Wheat, 74; corn, 399; oats, 42 ryc, 6. NEW YORK, April 5.

one: \$1.09 July: \$1.07 Year. CORN-53% Apr; 55% May; 57% June.

The trial of Hamlet Shakespeare Fel ton, better known in Decatur as John R Duffin, came to an end at Belleville yesterday, and the jury gave him 12 years in the penitentiary on the charge of forgery. The following particulars of the closing features of the trial are from the Globe-Democrat of to-day:

JOHN R. DUFFIN'S FATE.

The Jury Gives him 12 Years in the Pen-

itentiary for Forgery.

The trial of H. S. Felton, for forgery, was given to the jury at Belleville about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The interesting part of the proceedings came when the defendant took the witness stand and explained how the signatures to the note were obtained. He said they were genuine but procured through fraud and misrepressentation. He then proceeded to representation. He then proceeded to detail how he did it. In the course of ousiness with the gentlemen whose names were attached to the note, he frequently had to get their signatures to papers. In the case of Mr. Winkler, he represented that a certain mortgage which he held against Mr. Schmidt, and which had been paid, had not been released, and it would be necessary for him to execute a release deed. The witness for this purpose had

deed. The witness for this purpose had printed at an office in Lebanon release deeds of his own, the lower lines of which were worded and arranged in language similar to that on the bottom part of the note in question. He represented to Mr. Winkler that the release deeds had to be in duplicate. Mr. Winkler signed one, and the presented that the release deeds had to be in duplicate. and then signed what he thought was the duplicate, but what was in reality the note. Said the witness, in conclusion: "That was the last business transaction I that with Mr. Weithler." had with Mr. Winkler, In the case of Jacob Schmidt, Felton

ecured his signature by representing that an attachment bond was necessary in a suit that he was conducting for him. Inuit that he was conducting for him. stead of the legal paper being signed, he substituted the note and Schmidt affixed his signature to it. The note was pasted on the bottom part of the bond, which had been shortened so as to accommodate

it, and the line of connection between the two papers was skillfully concealed with a blotter.
According to Felton's story Mr. Padfield's signature was easily obtained. A receipt had to be signed by him and the paper was presented to him, but Mr. Padield did not happen to have his spectacles with him and couldn't examine it. Felwith nim and confinit examine it. Felicin said he read the receipt to him and then laid it upon the deak to be signed, but while Mr. Padfield was getting ready he substituted the note instead, with a blotter placed over the under half of it. Mr. Padfield still complained about not having his spectagles with him. Falton

having his spectacles with him. Felton continued: "I then loaned him my glasses, and with my finger pointed to the line for his name. Padfield was a poor penman, and would have scratched his name all over the note if I had not fairly held his hand." This closed the evidence, and arguments of counsel followed, State's Attorney Holder opening in behalf of the prosecution. His address consisted of a review of

tion. His address consisted of a review of the evidence from beginning to end. He was follwed by Mr. E. L. Thomas for the defense in an able speech. The latter was in turn succeeded by Capt. R. A. Halbert, also for the defense. The defendant addressed the jury in his own behalf, and his speech was, as anticipated, clear, brilliant, and at times very eloquent.

Mr. C. P. Knispel made the closing argument on behalf of the people, when the case was placed in the hands of the jury, who shortly after 6 o'clock returned a verdict of guilty, fixing the penalty at verdict of guilty, fixing the penalty at twelve years in the penitentiary.

PERSONAL MENTION. Albert Barnes visited Oreana to-day on

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Mrs. M. S. Greening is visiting friends at Riverton. Mrs. Chilson is giving lessons in fancy

ombroidery. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Benton Blackstone, last night, a daughter. W. T. Evans and family, of Taylorville,

The friends of Joshua Baker will be pleased to learn that he is recovering from his long illness. His condition has been very alarming at times.

have located in Decatur.

James Kılpatrick, after a residence of ern part of the state, has returned to Decatur, and will probably resume his old place as fireman on the Wabash.

Charles M. Lytle arrived home last evening, after a two months' trip through Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota, in the interest of the Decatur Furniture com-Hon. Wilson M. Stanley, who has been

furnishing historical matter for McDonough & Co.'s illustrated county histories in the southern part of the state, arrived in the city last night and paid his respect to the REPUBLICAN to-day.

L. R. Morse, of Illini township, was in the city to-day, and received the congratulations of city Republicans over the election of Joe Brown for supervisor in

gress, arrived in Decatur from Bloomington this forenoon, and paid his respects to the REPUBLICAN this noon. The Cap tain bears his honors well. He lately returned from a visit to Washington, where he formed many pleasant acquaintances.

Judge Smith, of Champaign, was in the city this afternoon on business. He says his son Charles L. Smith, who has retired from the secretaryship of the Decatur Tile Co., will read law this summer, and next winter he will enter Harvard College, at Cambridge, Mass., and fit himself for the practice of law.

MRS. A. N. FRANK, 177 West Tupper Street, Buffalo, N. Y., says she has used THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL for severe tooth ache and neuralgia, and considers it the best thing she knows of for relieving

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mission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day. CHICAGO, April 5 WHEAT-\$1.02% April; \$1.07% May: \$1.00 une; \$1.08% July; \$1.02% Year. CORN-49 Apr; 51% May; 55% June; 55%

OATS-40 Apr; 43% May; 43% June; 41% PORK-\$19.95 April; \$18.12% May; \$18.33 LARD-\$11.15 April; \$11.30 May; \$11.30

HOGS-Estimated receipts, 15,500; shipment

5412; light hogs, \$7.00@\$7.50; mixed, \$7.00@ \$7.50; heavy, \$7.60@\$7.90; cattle receipts, 6,400.

WHEAT-\$1.16% April; \$1.18% May; \$1.19% CORN-63% April: 64% May: 64% June: 66%

WREAT-\$1.08% April; \$1.10% May; \$1.11%

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"What! a bad cough, with occasional attacks terior under Buchanan, has just made of hemorrhage, for twenty-live years? Why, man, it's a mercy that there's a dozen pounds public the fact that under his auspices a plan was formed to release the rebel prisoners in several of the Abraham Gruer, of Highspire, Dauphin County, Pa., stuck to his statement, and when the exclamations of wonder ceased, he added: "Exactly. You're right. It is a mercy. But he greatest mercy of all is that, before I ac-nally coughed myself out of existence, I got old of Painter's Ginger Tonic, and a few

would be an interesting chapter in the history of that infamous convention to know just who got that money the first exist at all times of the year in vast and what they did with it? Its no-quantities in the atmosphere at a distorious resolution that the war after tance of a mile and seven-eights from torious resolution that the war after four years of bloodshed was a failure, is significant, coupled with its sion of the air, such as is produced by failure to do what it was paid to do thunder-storm or by the discharge of by its Southern brethren.—Danville artillery.

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New Postal Regulations. modifying the postal money order system so as to authorize postmasters of money order offices under authority of the postmaster general to issue postal notes in denominations of \$5 fact that the flies suddenly arrived in and under. This is an important boiler ha t exploded; and not a few attributed he deatening report to the first bill, and will greatly facilitate the known, the heaving survey of the British transmission of small sums through navy were fired for several consecutive transmission of small sums through heavy desired to heave desired to the bonds and the transmission of small sums through heavy desired to the heave desired to the several consecutive transmission of small sums through heavy were fired for several consecutive. crash of "the wreck of matter and the transmission of shall statistically and crush of worlds;" but upon rushing to the mails. It authorizes the issue of their doers and windows beheld one of the money orders without corresponding to money orders without corresponding the most calm and beautiful mounlight advices of \$5 and less to be on an expectation of the Egyptian be happy; but I ain't. No, you're wrong this bombardment, and house during this bombardment, and house answered by the less heavy but husband adores me, and that I ought to still enormous guess of the Egyptian be happy; but I ain't. No, you're wrong the most calm and beautiful moonlight advices of \$5 and less, to be on enthe most cain and beautiful moonlight advices of \$5 and less, to be on engraved paper, and known as postal ment of certain persons employed in and about the mills in that part of the city. They say that a large ball of fire tell into Muskegon Lake, seemingly striking its surface 300 or 400 feet from the shore. A young gentleman known as James Fisk felt the shock perceptibly, and Mr. Archibald Lee was "shaken up" by it. Both of these parties were on Western avenue at the time. Messrs. Frank Johnson, Levi Beardsley, Charles C. Moulton and Fred Miller, allof whom lodge on Western avenue, state that the logge on Western avenue, state that the logge on Western avenue, state that the logge of \$5 and less, to be on engraved paper, and known as postal notes, payable to bearer, such to be invalid after three months, but the holder can after that time, get the fell into Muskegon Lake, seemingly striking its surface 300 or 400 feet from the shore. A young gentleman known as James Fisk felt the shock perceptible to bearer, such to be invalid after three months, but the holder can after that time, get the following striking its surface 300 or 400 feet from the shore. A young gentleman known as James Fisk felt the shock perceptible to bearer, such to be invalid after three months, but the holder can after that time, get the following striking its surface 300 or 400 feet from the shore. A young gentleman known as James Fisk felt the shock perceptible to bearer, such to be invalid at heavy shower fallen immediately after the bombardment ceased, those invalid after three months, but the holder can after that time, get the persons who believe that a heavy artitle they free always produces rain would have exclaimed thattheir theory was justified. Professor Simmons seems to have an equal right to cute the bombardment as millustration of his own particular an illustration of his own particular and illustration of his lodge on Western avenue, state that the building in which they have rooms was shaken by the explosion. Mr. Hugh Leonard, who had just retired to his room on Western avenue, states as food on the state of the state appeared as though my window curcents; \$70 to \$80, 40 cents; \$80 to proprietion to defray the expense of \$100, 45 cents.

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est medicine by the light of knowledge. It has at length found it in Dr. Jones'

stealing a diamond pin from a lady account for flies in a perfectly satisfactive store. You in Washington, in whose house he tory way. Look for a moment at the will receive polite attention from as generated. He has proved in was employed. He has parents in England, and Judge Snell agreed not to imprison him if he was sent to in a region where flies abound, more them. This was done, and that boy flies will cluster on his head than ou the them. This was done, and that boy left with a cloud upon his good name. large and elegant assortment of Carpetings, Wall Paper, Lace Curtains and window materials of every description. Our facilities for acquiring the most choice of paper and laid in a piece of paper and laid in a piece of paper and laid in a connection of the same of the s Mall and Day Express No.21 3.00 p. in No.25. 4.30 in No.25. 4.30 in Through Freight and Mixed Team No.25 8.15 n. in No.25 We will more goods than any other house No.25 to the family casket where was kept the family casket where was kept the family nature have been repeatedly made silver. The discovery vindicates the Prof. Jones, of St. Louis, and alw with substantially the same result.

No.25 to the proper which was the proper it is a well-accertained 1. H. WILSON, Superintendent, in the United States according to populations for the wrong which was Moreover, it is a well-ascertained fact that in countries where buildness is united as the basis of the wrong which was been buildness is united as the basis of the wrong which was been buildness is united as the basis of the wrong which was been buildness is united as the basis of the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness is united as the wrong which was been buildness in the wrong which we will be wrong which will be wrong which will be lation, and with less expense according done him.

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March 15—dtf cery store. Mr. A. L. Brockway will give his attention to paper hanging and decorating, glish and German. Price 15 cents. and will guarantee satisfaction. Leave orders with Linn & Scruggs, dealers in wall paper, carpetings, upholstery, etc. March 29-d&wtf

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A Theory of Flies. Scientific persons are always inven-ing new theories to account for all sorts of things. For example, there is a Prothe rebellion is coming to light. Jato which a cat's fondness for the back fonce is due to the fact that nature designed the animal to sit on the ridge-poles of houses, and that in other cities, where the roofs are nearly all flat, the back fence offers the best attainable white the ridge role. substitute for the ridge-pole. There is federal camps of the Northeast during the session of the Democratic loss do not exist, and that it is a disease National Convention in Cheago in of the nerves which makes us imagine 1834; and that he actually furnished that we see and feel something which the money for that purpose. It we call mosquitoes. The latest and most interesting of sejentific theories is Prof. the surface of the earth, and that they are driven to the earth by any concus

Finest, Best and Cheapest Clothing Simmons brings forward several plausible illustrations. He reminds us that we have had hardly any thunder-storms The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs Glycerine Salve, which is a sure one for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money trefunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by the same starts and the same starts are the same starts. sal exemption from them. Even in houses where the most a laring fly-pape A postal bill passed both houses was displayed, not a fly was caught, and both the wonderful harmony which provailed among politicians, and the unex-ampled decrease of business in our divorce courts, were, in Prof. Simmon' opinion, due to the death of tlies. The Professor ealls attention to the

innumerable quantities the day after the bombardment of Alexandria. As is well bond unkind? No, indeed; I know my

comprise the choicest styles of foreign and domestic woolens, which will be made to order in the latest styles and hombarding the heavens, in order to produce a shower of flies. No man, however learned he may be, and how-It is said an old philosopher sought an honest man with a lighted lastern, and humanity has since been seeking an honest medicine by the light of knowledge, eat medicine by the light of knowledge, and live. We have all the dies that are needed—all in fact that we can possibly endure—and the man who attempts to add to their number by firing cannon will be justly blown from Linn & Scrugos.

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Macon County Circuit Court.

Newell A. White vs. Fanny Hennessey et al.— Forcelosure, No. 11,588.

MONDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF

APRIL, A. D. 1883,

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A CITY CLERK,
A CITY TREASURER,
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Samuel M. Brown vs. John W. Martin and Samuel M. Brower.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the said John W. Martin and Samuel M. Brower that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county dated the 27th day of February. A. B. 1883, at the suit of the said John A. Brown squinst the estate of the said Samuel M. Brower for the sam of \$73.48 and interest thereon, from the 27th day of February, 1883, at the rate of six per cent, per annum, directed to the sheriff of said county, and said cause is now pending before said county. Now, therefore, unless you, the said John W. Martin and Samuel M. Brower, shall personally be and appear hefore the said Crenit Court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the City of Decautre, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1883, give special buil and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against the said defondants and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the sand judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the sand. -WEHAVE-

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To the May Term, A. D. 1883, of the Circuit Court.

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The Savings Fund, Building and Loan Association, of Decatur, Illinois, complainants, vs. Anna Levi, Josephine Lynch, Jane Waite, George Stave, Thomas E. Bond, John Stave, Wilmin C. Johns, Ambony Marony and Kate Marony, defendants.—Forcelosine.

A FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Anna A. Levi, Josephine Lynch, Jane White, Thomas E. Bond and Joseph Allerdice having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of sald county of Macon, notice is hereby given to each of the last named parties that the above named complainant has filed its bill of complaint in forcelosure in said court on the chancery side theyof, that the parties mentioned in the caption hereto are the parties to the saif, that a summons issued out of said court to the above-named detendants, returnable on the first day of the May Term, A. D. 183, of the Circuit Court of Macon county, State of Illinois, in he holden at the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 183, as is by law required. Said said is now pending and undetermined.

SUFFRIET'S CALE at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, shail self at public auction, to the highest hidder, for each, at the west door of the Court House, in becature, in said county, the following described real estate satuate in the county of Macon and State of Hilmis, tower: Lots six (0) and seven (5). In block threel(3), of Cassell's 2nd addition to Becatur, together within and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereanto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. An unfailing cure for Seminal Workness, Spermatorrheat, Impotency, and all Diseases that follow as Self-Abuse, as loss of Manney Bulleague, as loss of Manney Bul

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Macon County, 1
In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 198

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 182 Barbara M. Prity vs. Albert Prity—Income. NOTICE is hereby given to the said detendant that the above-named complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returns ble on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in said Macon county, on the Second Monday of May A. D. 1883, as is by law required; which said still pending.

E. McCERLLAN, Clerk.
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